

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. 17-20683

HON. DENISE PAGE HOOD

v.

KENNETH GARDNER,

Defendant.

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT'S
MOTION FOR ORDER APPOINTING HANDWRITING
EXPERT AND ADJOURNMENT OF SENTENCING [#110]**

On May 3, 2019, Defendant filed a Motion for Order Appointing Handwriting Expert and Adjournment of Sentencing scheduled for May 10, 2019 ("Handwriting Motion"). [Dkt. No. 110] The Government filed a response in opposition to the Handwriting Motion. At the sentencing hearing scheduled for May 10, 2019, the Court heard argument regarding the Handwriting Motion.

Accordingly, for the reasons stated on the record at the May 10, 2019 hearing:

IT IS ORDERED that Defendant's Motion for Order Appointing Handwriting Expert and Adjournment of Sentencing [Dkt. No. 110] is DENIED.

IT IS ORDERED.

Dated: May 17, 2019

s/Denise Page Hood

DENISE PAGE HOOD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE